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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For: ADHESIVE COMPOSITION FOR DERMAL PATCH AND PRODUCTION PROCESS THEREOF

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the document which is listed herein and which the Examiner may deem material to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

One copy of the listed documents is submitted herewith, namely, a copy of a Communication from a Foreign Patent Office (Office Action for corresponding Chinese Patent Application 200380102447.X and English language translation thereof). Applicant notes that document D1 (EP 1046395 A1) cited in the Communication was cited previously in the Information Disclosure Statement filed April 28, 2005, and therefore is not being submitted again.

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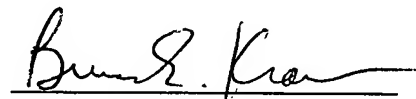
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The present Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after either a Final Office Action, Notice of Allowance, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application (whichever is earlier), but before payment of the Issue Fee, and therefore Applicant is submitting herewith a check for the fee of \$180.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p), and a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e).

The submission of the listed document is not intended as an admission that any such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application. Applicant does not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any listed document as a competent reference against the claims of the present application.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

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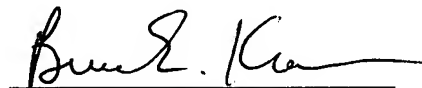
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The undersigned hereby states, upon information and belief:

That each item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement filed concurrently herewith was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of said Information Disclosure Statement.

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